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Memorandum

To: Assistant Area Director
Attention: Area Property Management, Mr. John Azua

From: Superintendent, Eastern Navajo Agency

Subject: Proposed Use Permit in Favor of the Atomic Energy Commission on
P.L.O. 2198 Lands Described as the SE/4 and the S/2 of Section
13, Township 13 North, Range 11 West, N.M.P.M.

We have reviewed the proposed exploration plan submitted on the subject properties by G. Warnock the lessee, and find the plan to be acceptable as submitted subject to the following additions.

1. That all vehicular traffic cease when ruts are six (6) inches in depth, both on and off existing roadways, and no new ruts will be made to avoid old ruts.
2. Revegetation of damaged areas will be the responsibility of the lessee when it has been mutually determined that all exploration and/or mining activities have been completed. The Eastern Navajo Agency's Branch of Land Operations will be contacted to determine the feasibility for such revegetation.
3. All exploration pits and drill holes will not be left unguarded or unattended for any length of time so as to become hazardous to humans and/or livestock. If left unattended, such pits or drill holes shall have a sheep proof fence constructed around such pits or holes at the expense of the lessee.
4. All filled in pits must not settle more than one foot below the surrounding terrain.
5. All drill holes will be plugged and abandoned according to United States Geological Standards and specifications.

Subject to the foregoing stipulations, issuance of a Use Permit for a term to run concurrently with the Exploration Permit is recommended. Our recommendations are made only to apply to the Explorations Phase only.

cc: AEC -Gilman C. Ritter
Agency BLO w/cc Exploration Plan
Subject Superintendent
Supt. File
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